Implementation of Post Based Roster in Place of Vacancy Based Roster

539. VEN'BLE DHAMMAVIRIYO: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the DOPT has introduced 'Post Based Roster' in place of 'Vacancy Based Roster' for implementing reservation system w.e.f. 02.07.1997 if so, the reasons therefor;

(b) whether while introducing "Post Based Roster" in place of Vacancy Based Roster the process of identifying excesses/shortages of persons, if any, in Class I, II, III and IV category of services under the Ministry of Civil Aviation and all its subordinate offices was undertaken as prescribed under para (5) of the DOPT O.M. No.36012/2/96-Estt. (Res) dated 02.07.1997; and

(c) if so, the results thereof?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SHARAD YADAV): (a) to (c) Yes Sir. As per instructions vide OM No. 36012/2/96-Estt. (Res) dated 2.7.1997 issued by DOPT to replace all existing vacany based reservation rosters with post based rosters, Ministry of Civil Aviation has advised all organisations under its control to comply with the above instructions.

New Flight from Bhubaneswar to Bangalore

540. SHRI RAMACHANDRA KHUNTIA: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state: whether Government would consider the proposal of restoring Air Bus Service from Delhi to Bhubaneswar daily and also introducing new flight connection from Bhubaneswar to Bangalore?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SHARAD YADAV): At present, Indian Airlines/Alliance Air operates following services connecting Delhi and Bhubaneswar:—

Delhi-Bhubaneswar-Delhi-3/week (with A-320)
Delhi-Bhubaneswar-Vizag-Chennai & return-4/week (with B-737)

Due to restructuring of routes, in the winter schedule effective

29.10.2000, the Delhi-Bhubaneswar-Vizag & return service was rerouted to operate 4 flights/week on the second route indicated above. Due to commitment of A-320 fleet on the existing schedule, IA is not in a position to provide daily services on Delhi-Bhubaneswar-Delhi sector nor to provide a new flight connection between Bhubaneswar and Bangalore. However, in the summer schedule effective 25.3.2001., M/s Jet Airways has proposed to operate a 3 flights/week B-737 air service on Bhubaneswar-Bangalore-Bhubaneswar sector.

Re-Constitution of Hindi Salahkar Samiti

541. DR. Y. LAKSHMI PRASAD: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) when the Hindi Salahkar Samiti was re-constituted in the Ministry;

(b) the number of sitting of the Samiti held during the last three years, year-wise; and

(c) the efforts made to conduct meetings regularly?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SHARAD YADAV): (a) On 18th July, 2000.

(b) The meeting was held on 3rd September, 1997. Thereafter, action was initiated for the ensuing meeting but in the due course of time the Lok Sabha was dissolved and the tenure of the Hindi Advisory Committee also came to an end on March 8, 1998. Since the nominations have to be received from all the hon'ble members of the Parliamentary Committee on Official Language, Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs and the Department of Official Language, it took considerable time in the completion of this process. Subsequently, a resolution of the re-constitution of the Hindi Advisory Committee was issued and therefore the meeting of the Committee was held on September 21, 2000.

Next meeting is scheduled to be held on 29th Day of March, 2001.

(c) With a view to holding the meetings regularly follow-up action has immediately to be taken against the decisions taken in the last